COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

Friday, March 13, 2009 9:30 a.m. Conference Room 329; State Capitol

AGENDA:

SB 53 (SSCR517) Status	RELATING TO INSURANCE. Amends Act 177, Session Laws of Hawaii 2008 (Life Settlements Model Act) by repealing the requirement that the insurance commissioner report annually to the legislature on the implementation and effects of Act 177 and by making the Act permanent.	HLT, CPC/JUD
SB 230, SD1 (SSCR525) Status	RELATING TO THE RIGHTS OF VICTIMS. Amends the crime victims' bill of rights to include notice or waiver of notice as to an offender's unfitness to stand trial, transfer to the state hospital or other psychiatric facility, or regaining fitness to proceed. Requires the department of health to provide notice of offender unauthorized absences. (SD1)	HLT, JUD, FIN
SB 567 (SSCR542) Status	RELATING TO HEALTH. Lowers the minimum age requirement for blood donation to sixteen years old with parental consent.	HLT, JUD
SB 930 (SSCR532) Status	RELATING TO VOLUNTEER MEDICAL ASSISTANCE SERVICES. Provides for medical expenses and immunity from liability for licensed medical personnel providing volunteer medical services on behalf of the State or a county.	HLT, JUD, FIN
SB 936 (SSCR541) Status	RELATING TO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CERTIFICATES. Repeals the requirement for a sanitation certificate to be issued for county business licenses for the operation of a lodging or tenement house, group home, group residence, group living arrangement, hotel, or boarding house. The City and County of Honolulu no longer requires business licenses for these facilities because of Act 35, Session Laws of Hawaii 2001, so the sanitation certificate is unnecessary for Oahu. The counties of Kauai, Maui, and Hawaii never required a sanitation certificate for these types of businesses.	HLT, CPC
SB 937 (SSCR533) Status	RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH. Clarifies that the provisions of section 704-412, Hawaii Revised Statutes, govern the timing and standards of decision for applications for conditional release or discharge from the custody of the Director of Health and includes a time frame for decisions on motions for conditional release or discharge.	HLT, JUD

SB 1142, SD1 (SSCR534) Status	RELATING TO PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS. Authorizes physician assistants to sign certain documents; to provide emergency medical care without supervision; to administer immunizations; to prescribe medications for patients suffering from human immunodeficiency virus or acquired immune deficiency syndrome without preauthorization; limits liability of physician assistants under good Samaritan laws. (SD1)	HLT, CPC/JUD, FIN
SB 777, SD1 (SSCR436) Status	RELATING TO COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY HEALTH EDUCATION. Requires any recipient of state funding to provide medically accurate sexuality education. (SD1)	HLT, EDN, FIN
SB 113 (SSCR444) Status	RELATING TO DENTISTS. Authorizes the board of dental examiners to sanction licensees for false or misleading advertising.	HLT, CPC/JUD
SB 426 (SSCR179) Status	RELATING TO DENTISTRY. Amends dental licensing laws so that a dentist enrolled in an American Dental Association Commission on Dental Accreditation accredited dental residency program can be granted a temporary license for the duration of the program.	HLT, CPC

Decision making to follow.

COMMITTEE ON LABOR & PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT

Friday, March 13, 2009 Conference Room 309; State Capitol

10:00 a.m. AGENDA:

SB 688 (SSCR494) Status	RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT. Establishes job security requirements upon the divestiture of a covered establishment.	LAB, EBM, FIN
SB 1622, SD1 (SSCR535) Status	RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY. Requires certain employers to retain employees who were displaced from an employer by divestiture through a transfer of a covered establishment to a new employer. (SD1)	LAB, EBM, FIN

Decision making to follow.

10:30 a.m. AGENDA:

LAB/EBM only:

SB 782, SD1 RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT SECURITY. LAB/EBM, (SSCR540) Establishes eligibility for unemployment insurance. (SD1) JUD, FIN

Status

Decision making to follow.

COMMITTEE ON WATER, LAND, & OCEAN RESOURCES

Friday, March 13, 2009 10:00 a.m. Conference Room 325; State Capitol

AGENDA:

HCR 95 Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT AN INDEPENDENT APPRAISAL OF MOLOKAI PROPERTIES LIMITED LANDHOLDINGS ON THE ISLAND OF MOLOKAI.	WLO, FIN
HR 74 Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT AN INDEPENDENT APPRAISAL OF MOLOKAI PROPERTIES LIMITED LANDHOLDINGS ON THE ISLAND OF MOLOKAI.	WLO, FIN
HCR 96 Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT, TO PROVIDE LIMITED ENFORCEMENT SERVICES AT NIGHT ON A REGULAR BASIS AND TO CONTINUE PROVIDING ENFORCEMENT SERVICES ON WEEKENDS AND HOLIDAYS AT KANEOHE BAY.	WLO, FIN
HR 75 Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES, DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT, TO PROVIDE LIMITED ENFORCEMENT SERVICES AT NIGHT ON A REGULAR BASIS AND TO CONTINUE PROVIDING ENFORCEMENT SERVICES ON WEEKENDS AND HOLIDAYS AT KANEOHE BAY.	WLO, FIN
HCR 104 Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT A STOCK ASSESSMENT OF CERTAIN MARINE LIFE TO DETERMINE A BASELINE FOR FUTURE MANAGEMENT MEASURES.	WLO, FIN

HR 84 Status	REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO CONDUCT A STOCK ASSESSMENT OF CERTAIN MARINE LIFE TO DETERMINE A BASELINE FOR FUTURE MANAGEMENT MEASURES.	WLO, FIN
HCR 108 Status	URGING THE STATE OF HAWAII TO CHANGE THE STREET NAME OF FORT BARRETTE ROAD TO KUALAKA'I ROAD.	WLO, FIN
HR 87 Status	URGING THE STATE OF HAWAII TO CHANGE THE STREET NAME OF FORT BARRETTE ROAD TO KUALAKA'I ROAD.	WLO, TRN
HCR 103 Status	REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO APPLY FOR ACCREDITATION WITH THE COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, INC.	WLO, FIN
HR 83 Status	REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF CONSERVATION AND RESOURCES ENFORCEMENT TO APPLY FOR ACCREDITATION WITH THE COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, INC.	WLO, FIN
SB 1, SD1 (SSCR32) Status	RELATING TO OPIHI. Establishes a five year moratorium on the harvesting of opihi on Oahu. Establishes a ban on taking or harvesting opihi statewide, subject to open and closed seasons and the traditional rights of certain ahupuaa tenants. (SD1)	WLO, JUD
SB 412 (SSCR21) Status	RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT. Establishes June 8 of each year as World Ocean Day to celebrate the blessings of the oceans, improve international relations, and increase public awareness of conservation management of the ocean environment.	WLO

Decision making to follow.